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Docket No. 16497.1.1.5

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of		)
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	Michael T. Carley, et al.	)
		)Art Unit
Serial No.	10/667,144	) 3734
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For:	CLOSURE DEVICE AND METHODS)	)
	FOR MAKING AND USING THEM	)
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Examiner:	Lindsey Michele Bachman	)
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TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENT "B" & RESPONSE TO  
OFFICE ACTION

VIA eFILE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is the Response to the Office Action mailed May 02, 2007, for entry in the above-identified application.

  X   To render the transmitted Response timely filed enclosed are the following:

- X Amendment "B" and Response
- X No other additional fee is required.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.
- X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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